



**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE
MAY 31 2005 NOTICE OF APPEAL (Small Entity)**

Docket No.
16351.1

In Re Application Of: Auman

Application No. 10/696,605	Filing Date 10/30/2003	Examiner Jennifer I Thissell	Customer No. 022913	Group Art Unit 3635	Confirmation No. 6872
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Invention: **SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR ASSEMBLY OF A STRUCTURAL COMPONENT**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 11/30/2004 in the above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month Two months Three months Four months Five months

from: 02/30/2004 *Date* until: 05/30/2005 *Date*

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

The fee for the extension of time is \$510 and is to be paid as follows:

A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
 The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-3178
 Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

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